

Report  
of the  
Examination of  
MGIC Reinsurance Corporation of Wisconsin  
Milwaukee, Wisconsin  
As of December 31, 2002

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Commissioner:

In accordance with your instructions, a compliance examination has been made of the  
affairs and financial condition of:

MGIC REINSURANCE CORPORATION OF WISCONSIN  
Milwaukee, Wisconsin

and this report is respectfully submitted.

## I. INTRODUCTION

The previous examination of MGIC Reinsurance Corporation of Wisconsin ("MRCW," or the "company") was conducted in 1998 and 1999 as of December 31, 1997. The current examination covered the intervening period ending December 31, 2002, and included a review of such 2003 transactions as deemed necessary to complete the examination.

The examination consisted of a review of all major phases of the company's operations, and included the following areas:

- History
- Management and Control
- Corporate Records
- Conflict of Interest
- Fidelity Bonds and Other Insurance
- Employees' Welfare and Pension Plans
- Territory and Plan of Operations
- Affiliated Companies
- Growth of Company
- Reinsurance
- Financial Statements
- Accounts and Records
- Data Processing

Emphasis was placed on the audit of those areas of the company's operations accorded a high priority by the examiner-in-charge when planning the examination. Special attention was given to the action taken by the company to satisfy the recommendations and comments made in the previous examination report.

The section of this report titled "Summary of Examination Results" contains comments and elaboration on those areas where adverse findings were noted or where unusual situations existed. Comment on the remaining areas of the company's operations is contained in the examination work papers.

The company is annually audited by an independent public accounting firm as prescribed by s. Ins 50.05, Wis. Adm. Code. An integral part of this compliance examination was the review of the independent accountant's work papers. Based on the results of the review of these work papers, alternative or additional examination steps deemed necessary for the completion of this examination were performed. The examination work papers contain documentation with respect to the alternative or additional examination steps performed during the course of the examination.

## **II. HISTORY AND PLAN OF OPERATION**

MGIC Reinsurance Corporation of Wisconsin was incorporated under the laws of Wisconsin on February 15, 1996, and commenced operations on April 1, 1996. The company is a wholly owned subsidiary of Mortgage Guaranty Insurance Corporation ("MGIC").

MRCW was organized to provide MGIC with excess of loss reinsurance coverage on residential mortgage guaranty insurance risks. MRCW's business consists of reinsurance of primary and pool insurance risks written on a direct basis by MGIC in all U.S. jurisdictions except six states. MRCW assumes MGIC's liability for mortgage guaranty net losses in excess of 25% of the indebtedness to the insured. The company derives all of its written business from its assumption of risks written by MGIC, and does not cede any insurance risks. MGIC Reinsurance Corporation of Wisconsin holds 100% of the issued and outstanding common capital stock of MGIC Mortgage Insurance Corporation ("MMIC").

MRCW is a member of a holding company system, and ultimate ownership and control of the company is held by MGIC Investment Corporation ("MGIC Investment"). MRCW does not have any employees, and all of its business operations are performed by MGIC pursuant to an intercompany services agreement. Further discussion of the MGIC Investment Corporation holding company, description of MRCW's significant affiliates, and description of the company's intercompany agreements are included in the section of this report captioned "Affiliated Companies."

MGIC Reinsurance Corporation of Wisconsin is licensed solely in the state of Wisconsin.

In 2002, MRCW assumed \$72,609,942 of mortgage guaranty insurance premium from MGIC. The growth of the company is discussed in the Financial Data section of this report.

### III. MANAGEMENT AND CONTROL

#### Board of Directors

The MGIC Reinsurance Corporation of Wisconsin board of directors consists of seven members, each of whom is elected annually from within the senior executive management of MGIC Investment Corporation. MRCW directors are elected to serve a one-year term. Each member of the MRCW board of directors also serves as a member of other boards of directors in the holding company group, and receives no additional compensation for services performed as a director of MRCW.

Currently the MRCW board of directors consists of the following persons:

<b>Name and Residence</b>	<b>Principal Occupation</b>	<b>Term Expires</b>
Curt S. Culver Nashotah, WI	President and Chief Executive Officer MGIC Investment Corporation	2004
John D. Fisk Kensington, MD	Executive Vice President – Strategic Planning MGIC Investment Corporation	2004
Joseph J. Komanecki Delafield, WI	Senior Vice President, Controller and Chief Accounting Officer	2004
Jeffrey H. Lane Glendale, WI	Senior Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary MGIC Investment Corporation	2004
J. Michael Lauer Elm Grove, WI	Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer MGIC Investment Corporation	2004
Patrick Sinks River Hills, WI	Senior Vice President – Field Operations MGIC Investment Corporation	2004
Joseph J. Ziino, Jr. Brookfield, WI	Senior Vice President—Regulatory Relations, Associate General Counsel and Assistant Secretary MGIC Investment Corporation	2004

## **Officers of the Company**

MGIC Reinsurance Corporation of Wisconsin officers are appointed by the company's board of directors at the annual meeting of the board, and serve a one-year term of office. Senior officers serving at the time of this examination are listed below. Each MRCW officer is employed by MGIC, and a portion of the MGIC compensation costs for the respective MRCW officers is allocated to MRCW through an affiliated servicing agreement. The annual compensation paid to MRCW officers in 2002 is reported in the concurrent examination report of MGIC, under the caption "Officers of the Company."

<b>Name</b>	<b>Office</b>
Curt S. Culver	President and Chief Executive Officer
J. Michael Lauer	Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer
Joseph J. Komanecki	Senior Vice President, Controller and Chief Accounting Officer
Jeffrey H. Lane	Senior Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary
Joseph J. Ziino, Jr.	Senior Vice President – Regulatory Relations Associate General Counsel and Assistant Secretary
James A. Karpowicz	Vice President and Treasurer

## **Committees of the Board**

The MRCW bylaws allow for the formation of certain committees by the board of directors. The company had established one committee of the board at the time of the examination, listed below:

### **Securities Investment Committee**

J. Michael Lauer  
Joseph J. Komanecki  
Joseph J. Ziino, Jr.

#### **IV. AFFILIATED COMPANIES**

MGIC Reinsurance Corporation of Wisconsin is a member of a holding company system. The ultimate parent of the holding company system is MGIC Investment Corporation.

The following organizational chart depicts the relationships among the affiliates in the holding company group. Each respective subsidiary is a wholly owned affiliate within the MGIC enterprise except as noted otherwise. A brief description of the significant affiliates of MRCW and a summary of significant affiliated agreements follows the organizational chart.

##### **Organizational Chart As of December 31, 2002**

- MGIC Investment Corporation
  - Mortgage Guaranty Insurance Corporation
    - MGIC Reinsurance Corporation of Wisconsin
      - MGIC Mortgage Insurance Corporation
        - MGIC Mortgage and Consumer Asset II LLC (Note #1)
  - MGIC Credit Assurance Corporation
  - MGIC Assurance Corporation
    - MGIC Assurance Corporation Segregated Account
  - MGIC Reinsurance Corporation of Vermont
  - GHR Systems, Inc. (12% ownership interest)
  - MGIC Indemnity Corporation
  - eMagic.com
  - Sherman Financial Group LLC (45.5% ownership interest)
  - Equix Financial Services LLC (70.5% ownership interest)
  - MGIC Mortgage and Consumer Asset I LLC (Note #1)
    - CMI Investors LP 5 (99% ownership interest)
    - CMI Investors LP 8 (99% ownership interest)
    - CMI Investors LP 9 (99% ownership interest)
    - CMI Investors LP 2 (99% ownership interest)
    - Credit-Based Asset Servicing & Securitization LLC (45.9% ownership interest)
    - Litton Loan Servicing LP
- MGIC Reinsurance Corporation
- MGIC Mortgage Reinsurance Corporation
- MGIC Residential Reinsurance Corporation
- MGIC Mortgage Marketing Corporation
- MGIC Investor Services Corporation
- MGIC Insurance Services Corporation
- MGIC Mortgage Securities Corporation
- MGIC OneStop Holdings LLC
  - OneStop Shop, Inc. (24% ownership interest)

Note # 1: MGIC Mortgage and Consumer Asset II LLC holds a 1% ownership interest in CMI Investors LP's; the remaining 99% interest is held in MGIC Mortgage and Consumer Asset I LLC.



**MGIC Investment Corporation (“MGIC Investment”)**

MGIC Investment was incorporated in Wisconsin on June 22, 1984 under the name Management Financing Corporation. MGIC Investment was established as a holding company to consolidate the ownership and capitalization of the legal entities within the MGIC enterprise. The initial capital funding of Management Financing Corporation was provided by The Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Company and by senior executive officers of MGIC. The holding company name was changed to MGIC Investment Corporation effective March 1, 1985. An initial public offering of MGIC Investment common capital stock was completed in August of 1991, and a second public offering was completed in June 1992. The issued and outstanding shares of MGIC Investment common capital stock are traded on the New York Stock Exchange.

As of February 15, 2003, Legg Mason, Inc., an investment management company, held a 14.59% ownership interest in the outstanding MGIC Investment Corporation capital stock, and Janus Capital Management LLC held a 12.16% ownership interest in MGIC Investment. Officers and directors of MGIC Investment Corporation, who comprise 17 individual share holders, in aggregate held 1.26% ownership interest in MGIC Investment. Interests held by officers and directors included 31,085 share units held under MGIC Investment Corporation's directors' deferred compensation plan for which the holders currently do not have rights to exercise investment or voting power. Other investors, each of whom individually owned less than a 5% interest in MGIC Investment, held the remaining outstanding shares of MGIC Investment common capital stock.

The MGIC enterprise is principally engaged in writing mortgage guaranty insurance on residential mortgage loans. MGIC Investment Corporation insurance subsidiaries provide mortgage guaranty insurance to mortgage lenders, and its non-insurance operating subsidiaries provide products and services to the mortgage finance industry, including contract underwriting, mortgage portfolio analysis, secondary market mortgage brokerage and trading services, and internet-based technology services.

As of December 31, 2002, MGIC Investment's consolidated GAAP basis audited financial statements reported total assets of \$5,300,303,000, total liabilities of \$1,905,111,000,

and total shareholders' equity of \$3,395,192,000. Operations for 2002 provided reported net income of \$629,191,000.

### **Mortgage Guaranty Insurance Corporation ("MGIC")**

MGIC was incorporated under the laws of Wisconsin on February 20, 1979 as Liberty Mortgage Insurance Corporation ("LMIC"). LMIC was originally owned by Verex Corporation and was acquired by MGIC Investment Corporation in November 1984. The name Liberty Mortgage Insurance Corporation was changed to Mortgage Guaranty Insurance Corporation on March 1, 1985, when MGIC began writing new business.

MGIC formerly had two classes of issued and outstanding common capital stock, Class A common stock and Class B common stock. MGIC Investment Corporation retained ownership of the MGIC Class B common stock, and effective September 30, 1985 contributed 100% of the MGIC Class A common stock to the former MGIC Investment subsidiary Mortgage Guaranty Reinsurance Corporation ("MGRC"). Effective May 25, 1999, MGRC was dissolved pursuant to a plan of voluntary dissolution and liquidation approved by the Wisconsin Commissioner of Insurance (the "Commissioner"). Upon the dissolution of MGRC, all 35,000 issued and outstanding shares of MGIC Class B common stock held by MGIC Investment were redeemed at a price of \$1,000 per share, and the remaining assets and liabilities of the liquidated MGRC legal entity including 100% of the MGIC Class A common capital stock transferred to MGIC Investment Corporation. MGIC's capital stock presently is comprised solely of one class of common stock, wholly owned by MGIC Investment Corporation.

MGIC issues residential mortgage guaranty insurance in 50 states, the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, and Bermuda. MGIC serves as the lead operating company in the MGIC group, and provides administrative and managerial services to its affiliates. MGIC's direct and indirect costs incurred in providing services to its affiliates are allocated to the respective affiliates pursuant to intercompany services agreements. Excess of loss insurance coverages on risks written by MGIC are ceded to four MGIC affiliate insurers to enable MGIC to comply with statutory restrictions in some states that limit an insurer's net retention of mortgage guaranty insurance for any one risk to not more than 25% of the total indebtedness to the insured.

As of December 31, 2002, MGIC's statutory financial statements reported total admitted assets of \$5,748,861,544, total liabilities of \$4,200,854,153, and policyholders' surplus of \$1,548,007,391. Operations for 2002 provided reported net income of \$256,475,739.

**MGIC Mortgage Insurance Corporation ("MMIC")**

MMIC was incorporated under the laws of Wisconsin on April 30, 1987. MMIC was established to be an insurer that maintains a Standard and Poor's Corporation AAA claims paying ability rating, to provide the MGIC group with the facility to write mortgage guaranty insurance on loans that require the insurer to be rated AAA. MMIC assumes coverages issued by MGIC, and does not write any direct insurance business. MMIC has not assumed any new risks from MGIC for the past several years.

Prior to 1996, MMIC was a wholly owned subsidiary of MGIC. In 1996 MGIC contributed 100% of the common capital stock of MMIC to MGIC Reinsurance Corporation of Wisconsin.

As of December 31, 2002, MMIC's statutory financial statements reported total admitted assets of \$79,579,265, total liabilities of \$11,512,325, and policyholder's surplus of \$68,066,940. Operations for 2002 provided reported net income of \$4,535,872.

**MGIC Credit Assurance Corporation ("MCAC")**

MCAC was organized under the laws of Wisconsin on April 30, 1997, and commenced business on May 21, 1997. MCAC is a wholly owned subsidiary of MGIC, and was established to write mortgage guaranty insurance for lenders in certain states on second mortgages and home equity lines of credit. MCAC commenced writing direct business in 1998, and terminated writing new business effective January 1, 2002. MCAC's current portfolio of insurance risks consists solely of renewal business on existing policies, and MCAC's entire book of business is in run-off.

As of December 31, 2002, MCAC's statutory financial statements reported total admitted assets of \$36,120,251, total liabilities of \$14,915,547, and policyholder's surplus of \$21,204,704. Operations for 2002 resulted in a reported net loss of \$5,573,957.

### **MGIC Assurance Corporation (“MAC”)**

MAC was organized under the laws of Oklahoma in 1937 under the name Insurers Indemnity and Insurance Company, and was subsequently renamed Financial Security Assurance, Inc. of Oklahoma (“FSAOK”). FSAOK was acquired by MGIC in 1995, and effective November 18, 1996, MAC redomesticated to Wisconsin and adopted the name MGIC Assurance Corporation.

MAC established a segregated account in 1997 pursuant to the requirements of s. 611.24 (1), Wis. Statutes and s. Ins 3.09 (12)(g), Wis. Adm. Code, through which MAC is authorized to conduct junior lien guaranty insurance business. MAC commenced writing insurance on second mortgages and home equity lines of credit in 1997. MAC terminated writing new business effective January 1, 2002. MAC’s current portfolio of insurance risks consists solely of renewal business on existing policies written through the segregated account, and MAC’s entire book of business is in run-off.

In 1997, all of the issued and outstanding capital stock of MAC was contributed to the MGIC subsidiary insurer MGIC Surety Corporation (“Surety”). MGIC Surety Corporation was merged with and into MGIC effective November 30, 2002. Upon the merger of Surety, the assets and liabilities of MGIC Surety Corporation, including 100% of the issued and outstanding capital stock of MAC, transferred to MGIC.

As of December 31, 2002, MAC’s statutory financial statements reported total admitted assets of \$35,284,592, total liabilities of \$12,516,380, and policyholder’s surplus of \$22,768,212. Operations for 2002 produced net income of \$232,734.

### **MGIC Reinsurance Corporation of Vermont (“MRCV”)**

MRCV was established in December 1999 as a Vermont-domiciled insurer, to operate as a sponsored captive insurance company pursuant to Title 8, Chapter 141 of the State of Vermont Statutes. The Vermont Statutes permit a licensed insurer and participating sponsors to establish a sponsored captive reinsurance company to reinsure business written by the licensed insurer. MRCV reinsures MGIC mortgage guaranty risks on loans that were originated, purchased, or serviced by mortgage lenders which participate in MRCV captive reinsurance. For

the business assumed by MRCV on behalf of a participating sponsor, MRCV establishes a protected cell account in which assets of each such participant are separately maintained and accounted for with respect to the participant's liabilities for mortgage guaranty risks assumed by the participant. A separate participation agreement is established between MRCV and each respective participant. By establishing a participation agreement with MRCV, a lender which desires to engage in captive reinsurance is able to participate as a sponsored captive and is not required to establish a separate insurance or reinsurance legal entity. As of year-end 2002, MRCV had nine participation agreements in effect.

As of December 31, 2002, MRCV's statutory financial statements reported total admitted assets of \$3,971,536, including \$1.3 million of trust assets, total liabilities of \$1,073,387, and policyholder's surplus of \$2,898,149. Operations for 2002 produced net income of \$776,615.

#### **MGIC Indemnity Corporation ("MIC")**

MGIC Indemnity Corporation is a Wisconsin-domiciled mortgage guaranty insurer originally incorporated in Wisconsin in 1956 under the name Mortgage Guaranty Insurance Corporation ("Old MGIC"). Old MGIC was a subsidiary of the former MGIC Investment Corporation ("Old MGIC Investment," the pre-1985 MGIC Investment Corporation). Ownership of Old MGIC Investment and its subsidiaries including Old MGIC was purchased by Baldwin-United Corporation ("Baldwin") in 1982. Baldwin became financially impaired in 1983 due in part to excess corporate debt, and filed petition for voluntary reorganization under Chapter 11 of the Federal Bankruptcy Code.

In 1984 the Commissioner approved a plan (the "Plan") whereby the ongoing successful business enterprise of Old MGIC could be protected from the bankruptcy of Baldwin and be continued in a successor legal entity. Pursuant to the Plan, effective February 28, 1985 the business operations of Old MGIC were transferred to a successor insurer named Mortgage Guaranty Insurance Corporation (the present-day MGIC), Old MGIC changed its name to Wisconsin Mortgage Assurance Corporation ("WMAC"), and WMAC entered into court-ordered liquidation proceedings under the supervision of the Commissioner.

Under the 1985 liquidation proceedings, WMAC discontinued issuance of new insurance business, its existing book of business entered run-off status managed by the present day MGIC, and 100% of WMAC's existing net retained liability for insurance risks was ceded to a group of international reinsurers under quota share reinsurance treaties. In December 1998, the WMAC liquidation proceedings were terminated and WMAC entered rehabilitation proceedings. Mortgage Guaranty Insurance Corporation (the present-day MGIC) purchased WMAC as of December 31, 1998 under a plan of rehabilitation approved by the Commissioner. WMAC changed its name to MGIC Indemnity Corporation effective June 1, 2000. MIC has not written any new business since 1985, and its entire portfolio of business is comprised of renewal policies in run-off. All claims have been paid by WMAC or its reinsurers, and only a small amount of insurance inforce remains in run-off.

As of December 31, 2002, MIC's statutory financial statements reported total admitted assets of \$20,154,586, total liabilities of \$273,834, and policyholder's surplus of \$19,880,752. Operations for 2002 provided reported net income of \$646,092.

#### **eMagic.com, LLC ("eMagic")**

eMagic.com, LLC was organized in February 2000 to provide business-to-business interactive electronic services to the mortgage finance industry. eMagic products and services provide an internet technological facility to lenders, mortgage service providers, and other mortgage institutions, to access wholesaler/investor products and vendor services that pertain to the origination of mortgage loans.

As of December 31, 2002, eMagic.com, LLC's GAAP basis financial statements reported total admitted assets of \$1,753,000, total liabilities of \$1,148,000, and members' equity of \$604,000. Operations for 2002 resulted in a reported net loss of \$10,577,000.

#### **Credit-Based Asset Servicing & Securitization LLC ("C-BASS")**

C-BASS is a joint venture in which MGIC had a 45.9% ownership interest as of year-end 2002. The venture was formed in July 1996 to engage in the acquisition and resolution of delinquent or otherwise credit sensitive single family mortgage loans. C-BASS purchases, sells,

and securitizes residential mortgage loans, seller-financed notes, mortgage-backed securities, and other asset-backed debt securities.

As of December 31, 2002, C-BASS's GAAP basis audited financial statements reported total assets of \$1,754,392,000, total liabilities of \$1,384,855,000, and owners' equity of \$369,537,000. Operations for 2002 provided reported net income of \$138,335,000.

**MGIC Reinsurance Corporation ("MGIC Re")**

MGIC Re was incorporated under the laws of Wisconsin on February 21, 1985, and commenced business on March 1, 1985. MGIC Re was organized to provide MGIC with excess of loss reinsurance coverage. MGIC Re provides reinsurance to MGIC on primary and pool mortgage guaranty coverage in excess of 25% of the total indebtedness to the insured, on business written in six states. MGIC Re assumes all of its business from MGIC.

As of December 31, 2002, MGIC Re's statutory financial statements reported total admitted assets of \$167,387,887, total liabilities of \$108,714,843, and policyholder's surplus of \$58,673,044. Operations for 2002 provided reported net income of \$5,983,955.

**MGIC Mortgage Reinsurance Corporation ("MMRC")**

MMRC was organized under the laws of Wisconsin on July 1, 1996, and commenced business activity on that date. MMRC was organized to provide MGIC with excess of loss reinsurance coverage. MMRC provides reinsurance to MGIC on mortgage guaranty primary and pool coverage in excess of 25% of the total indebtedness to the insured on business written in six states. MMRC's reinsurance on any loan is limited to a maximum of 25% of the total indebtedness to the insured. MMRC assumes all of its business from MGIC, and does not cede any business.

As of December 31, 2002, MMRC's statutory financial statements reported total admitted assets of \$16,101,360, total liabilities of \$2,088,409, and policyholder's surplus of \$14,012,951. Operations for 2002 provided reported net income of \$1,159,246.

**MGIC Residential Reinsurance Corporation ("MRRC")**

MRRC was organized under the laws of Wisconsin on July 1, 1996, and commenced business on that date. MRRC was organized to provide MGIC with excess of loss reinsurance

coverage. MGIC Residential Reinsurance Corporation provides reinsurance to MGIC on mortgage guaranty primary and pool coverage in excess of 25% of the total indebtedness to the insured on business written in six states. MRRC reinsurance on any loan is limited to a maximum of 25% the total indebtedness to the insured. MRRC assumes all of its business from MGIC and does not cede any of its business.

As of December 31, 2002, MRRC's statutory financial statements reported total admitted assets of \$15,925,334, total liabilities of \$2,070,188, and policyholder's surplus of \$13,855,146. Operations for 2002 provided reported net income of \$1,085,987.

### **Affiliated Agreements**

1. 1986 Tax Sharing Agreement – The MGIC enterprise maintains a Tax Sharing Agreement whereby MGIC Investment Corporation and specified subsidiaries that qualify under the Internal Revenue Code join in filing a consolidated federal income tax return. Tax benefit or liability attributed to each respective legal entity under the consolidated income tax return is based on the amount of benefit or liability that would otherwise be applicable if the respective legal entity filed a separate United States Corporation Income Tax Return. For purposes of income tax sharing, each subsidiary computes its own income on a separate company basis, and each computes its own respective taxes by applying on a separate company basis the provisions of the Internal Revenue Code. The Tax Sharing Agreement is amended from time-to-time as necessary to add or delete the participation of applicable affiliated entities, and currently provides that each of the Wisconsin-domiciled MGIC insurers is a participant in the agreement.
2. 1996 Servicing Agreement – MGIC maintains a Servicing Agreement under which MGIC performs management and administrative services for the benefit of various affiliates within the MGIC holding company. Services provided by MGIC to its affiliates include provision of office space and employees; administration of underwriting, risk management and claims; performance as agent for funds collection and disbursement; maintenance of investment portfolios and execution of investment transactions; maintenance of depository accounts; maintenance of books and records including financial records; and the preparation and delivery of reports, tax returns, and documents and filings as required. MGIC's direct costs and indirect expenses incurred in providing services to the individual affiliates are allocated to the respective affiliates. The Servicing Agreement is amended from time-to-time as necessary to add or delete the participation of applicable affiliated entities, and currently provides that each of the Wisconsin-domiciled MGIC insurers is a participant in the agreement.



## **V. REINSURANCE**

The reinsurance portfolio and strategy of MGIC Reinsurance Corporation of Wisconsin is described below. The company's reinsurance contracts contain proper insolvency provisions.

All of MRCW's business is derived from reinsurance of residential mortgage guaranty insurance risks that are written on a direct basis by MGIC. The reinsurance assumed from MGIC by MRCW facilitates MGIC's compliance with the statutory requirements that limit a mortgage guaranty insurer's retention under a single policy of insurance to no more than 25% of debt of the mortgage borrower.

The company has three reinsurance assumption agreements with MGIC that provide for MRCW reinsurance of MGIC deep coverage insurance risk. Under the company's two primary insurance reinsurance treaties, MRCW assumes liability for primary mortgage guaranty risks on losses and LAE in excess of 25% of the indebtedness of the mortgage borrower. One of the primary treaties provides that MRCW's business assumption is limited to 25% of the indebtedness, and the other primary treaty provides that MRCW will assume up to 75% of the indebtedness. Mortgage guaranty pool policies are issued in connection with a pool of mortgage loans and provide aggregate excess of loss coverage for each pool of loans. The company's pool reinsurance treaty provides for MRCW assumption of pool policy risks on losses and LAE in excess of 25% of the indebtedness to the insured.

MRCW's reinsurance agreements with MGIC cover business written in all U.S. jurisdictions except California, Kansas, Maryland, New York, Texas, and Illinois, which do not permit an insurer to recognize balance sheet credit for reinsurance that is ceded to a subsidiary insurer. The company does not cede any insurance risks, and is not a party to ceding reinsurance agreements.

## **VI. FINANCIAL DATA**

The following financial statements reflect the financial condition of the company as reported in the December 31, 2002, annual statement to the Commissioner of Insurance. Also included in this section are schedules that reflect the growth of the company, NAIC Insurance Regulatory Information System ("IRIS") ratio results for the period under examination, and the minimum policyholder position calculation. Adjustments made as a result of the examination are noted at the end of this section in the area captioned "Reconciliation of Surplus per Examination."

**MGIC Reinsurance Corporation of Wisconsin**  
**Assets**  
**As of December 31, 2002**

	<b>Assets</b>	<b>Nonadmitted Assets</b>	<b>Net Admitted Assets</b>
Bonds	\$550,040,548	\$ 0	\$550,040,548
Stocks:			
Common stocks	68,066,939		68,066,939
Cash	3,707,987		3,707,987
Agents' balances or uncollected premiums:			
Premiums and agents' balances in course of collection	12,594,366		12,594,366
Federal and foreign income tax recoverable and interest thereon	6,707,532		6,707,532
income due and accrued	<u>7,280,339</u>	<u>          </u>	<u>7,280,339</u>
Total Assets	<u>\$648,397,711</u>	<u>\$ 0</u>	<u>\$648,397,711</u>

**MGIC Reinsurance Corporation of Wisconsin**  
**Liabilities, Surplus, and Other Funds**  
**As of December 31, 2002**

Losses		\$135,166,455
Reinsurance payable on paid loss and loss adjustment expenses		3,514,376
Loss adjustment expenses		2,511,374
Unearned premiums		59,553,391
Payable to parent, subsidiaries, and affiliates		<u>25,536</u>
Total Liabilities		200,721,132
Common capital stock	\$ 2,000,000	
Gross paid in and contributed surplus	322,213,937	
Unassigned funds (surplus)	<u>123,462,642</u>	
Surplus as Regards Policyholders		<u>447,676,579</u>
Total Liabilities and Surplus		<u>\$648,397,711</u>

**MGIC Reinsurance Corporation of Wisconsin**  
**Summary of Operations**  
**For the Year 2002**

**Underwriting Income**

Premiums earned		\$72,404,899
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Deductions:

Losses incurred	\$12,768,857	
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Loss expenses incurred	1,052,782	
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Other underwriting expenses incurred	15,458,119	
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Write-ins for underwriting deductions:

Contingency reserve contribution less withdrawals	<u>36,202,449</u>	
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Total underwriting deductions		<u>65,482,207</u>
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Net underwriting gain		6,922,692
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**Investment Income**

Net investment income earned	24,718,367	
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Net realized capital gains	<u>1,836,562</u>	
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Net investment gain		<u>26,554,929</u>
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Net income before federal and foreign income taxes		33,477,621
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Federal and foreign income taxes incurred		<u>5,831,000</u>
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Net Income		<u>\$27,646,621</u>
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**MGIC Reinsurance Corporation of Wisconsin**  
**Cash Flow**  
**For the Year 2002**

Premiums collected net of reinsurance		\$69,784,378
Deduct:		
Loss and loss adjustment expenses paid (net of salvage or subrogation)		8,984,488
Underwriting expenses paid		<u>15,458,119</u>
Cash from underwriting		45,341,771
Net investment income		24,959,259
Deduct:		
Federal income taxes paid		<u>10,589,550</u>
Net cash from operations		59,711,480
Proceeds from investments sold, matured, or repaid:		
Bonds	\$298,362,600	
Stocks	<u>19,082,558</u>	
Total investment proceeds		\$317,445,158
Cost of investments acquired (long-term only):		
Bonds	\$363,092,379	
Stocks	<u>10,291,865</u>	
Total investments acquired		<u>373,384,244</u>
Net cash from investments		(55,939,086)
Cash provided from financing and miscellaneous sources:		
Surplus notes, capital and surplus paid in	(221,727)	
Net transfers from affiliates	<u>10,716</u>	
Net cash from financing and miscellaneous sources		<u>(211,011)</u>
Net change in cash and short-term investments		3,561,383
<b>Reconciliation</b>		
Cash and short-term investments, December 31, 2001		<u>146,604</u>
Cash and short-term investments, December 31, 2002		<u>\$3,707,987</u>

**MGIC Reinsurance Corporation of Wisconsin**  
**Policyholder Position Calculation**  
**December 31, 2002**

Surplus as regards policyholders			\$447,676,580
Contingency reserve			87,318,942
Subsidiary's minimum policyholder position			<u>654,469</u>
Total policyholders position			534,341,053
Net minimum policyholders' position			
Individual loans:			
Loan-to-value more than 75%	\$ 45,474,546		
Loan-to-value 50 - 75%	<u>728,987</u>		
Total individual loans		\$ 46,203,533	
Group of Loans:			
Equity 20 - 50%, or equity plus prior insurance or deductible 25 – 55%	260,524,924		
Equity more than 50%, or equity plus prior insurance or a deductible less than 25%	<u>5,488,269</u>		
Total group loans		<u>266,013,193</u>	
Minimum policyholder position			<u>312,216,726</u>
Excess of total policyholders' position over minimum policyholders' position			<u>\$222,124,327</u>

**MGIC Reinsurance Corporation of Wisconsin  
Reconciliation and Analysis of Surplus  
For the Five-Year Period Ending December 31, 2002**

The following schedule is a reconciliation of total surplus during the period under examination as reported by the company in its filed annual statements:

	<b>1998</b>	<b>1999</b>	<b>2000</b>	<b>2001</b>	<b>2002</b>
Surplus, beginning of year	\$83,723,785	\$217,017,197	\$329,748,693	\$366,904,403	\$415,255,315
Net income	(10,588,043)	9,833,377	31,958,751	38,340,201	27,646,621
Net unrealized capital gains or (losses)	3,881,455	2,898,119	4,320,239	4,603,672	5,050,370
Change in net deferred income tax				139,000	(54,000)
Cumulative effect of changes in accounting principles				5,468,039	
Surplus adjustments:					
Paid in	140,000,000	100,000,000	876,720	(200,000)	(221,727)
Surplus, end of year	<u>\$217,017,197</u>	<u>\$329,748,693</u>	<u>\$366,904,403</u>	<u>\$415,255,315</u>	<u>\$447,676,579</u>

**MGIC Reinsurance Corporation of Wisconsin  
Insurance Regulatory Information System  
For the Five-Year Period Ending December 31, 2002**

The company's NAIC Insurance Regulatory Information System ("IRIS") results for the years under examination are summarized in the following table. The unusual IRIS results during the period are denoted with asterisks, and are discussed following the table of IRIS data.

<b>Ratio</b>	<b>1998</b>	<b>1999</b>	<b>2000</b>	<b>2001</b>	<b>2002</b>
#1 Gross Premium to Surplus	19%	15%	12%	12%	16%
#2 Net Premium to Surplus	19%	15%	12%	12%	16%
#3 Change in Net Writings	42% *	21%	(16)%	17%	45% *
#4 Surplus Aid to Surplus	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
#5 Two-Year Overall Operating Ratio	132% *	95%	13%	(26)%	23%
#6 Investment Yield	4%	4%	5%	5%	4%
#7 Change in Surplus	158% *	52% *	11%	13%	8%
#8 Liabilities to Liquid Assets	38%	34%	33%	33%	36%
#9 Agents' Balances to Surplus	4%	2%	3%	2%	3%
#10 One-Year Reserve Development to Surplus	(16)%	(19)%	(21)%	(15)%	(7)%
#11 Two-Year Reserve Development to Surplus	(5)%	(19)%	(25)%	(23)%	(18)%
#12 Estimated Current Reserve Def. To Surplus	0%	(21)%	(21)%	(17)%	(10)%

IRIS ratio number 3 evaluates the year-to-year change in an insurer's net written premium. The company's unusual result for IRIS ratio number 3 in 1998 reflects increased volume of MGIC's direct pool insurance business and corresponding increased cession to MRCW of coverages in excess of 25% of the indebtedness of the insured. The company's unusual result in 2002 was due to increased MGIC cessions of pool risks under prior reinsurance treaties, and to



cessions under a new primary reinsurance treaty established between MGIC and MRCW in 2002 that applies to business written for new mortgage guaranty pool products produced by MGIC.

IRIS ratio number 5 evaluates the profitability of an insurance company, and equals an insurer's loss ratio plus its expense ratio minus its investment income ratio. The company's unusual result of 132% for ratio number 5 in 1998 was due to start-up of the company's business and significant increases in loss reserves and underwriting expenses in 1998.

IRIS ratio number 7 evaluates an insurer's year-to-year change in policyholder surplus. The company's unusual results for ratio number 7 in 1998 and 1999 were due to paid in surplus contributions of \$140 million and \$100 million provided to the company by MGIC in 1998 and 1999, respectively. The MGIC capital contributions were made to fund the start-up and expansion of the company's premium writing activities.

## Growth of MGIC Reinsurance Corporation of Wisconsin

Year	Admitted Assets	Liabilities	Surplus As Regards Policyholders	Net Income
1998	\$308,652,260	\$ 91,635,063	\$217,017,197	\$(10,588,043)
1999	466,385,464	136,636,771	329,748,693	9,833,377
2000	517,011,380	150,106,977	366,904,403	31,958,751
2001	578,325,146	163,069,831	415,255,315	38,340,201
2002	648,397,711	200,721,132	447,676,579	27,646,621

  

Year	Gross Premium Written	Net Premium Written	Premium Earned	Loss And LAE Ratio	Expense Ratio	Combined Ratio
1998	\$42,248,923	\$42,248,923	\$26,105,410	160.2%	18.2%	178.4%
1999	50,999,316	50,999,316	34,180,856	81.8	20.4	102.2
2000	42,808,699	42,808,699	38,386,257	(20.9)	64.3	43.4
2001	50,212,172	50,212,172	40,443,962	(31.5)	58.5	27.0
2002	72,609,942	72,609,942	72,404,899	19.1	71.1	90.2

Annual net contingency reserve contributions, required due to annual changes in premiums written, are included in the expense ratio calculations reported above, and contributed to the high expense ratios experienced by the company in each of the years under examination.

MRCW commenced assumption of mortgage guaranty insurance risks from MGIC in 1996. The company's premium revenue volume has fluctuated during the years under examination as a function of fluctuations in MGIC's direct written premium production of primary and pool deep coverages that required MRCW reinsurance of excess risks. The high expense ratio and combined ratio in 2002 reflect the effect of the company's 2002 net contribution of \$36.2 million to the statutory contingency reserve. The company received paid in surplus contributions of \$140 million in 1998, \$100 million in 1999, and \$876,720 in 2000, and had reductions of paid in surplus of \$200,000 in 2001 and \$221,727 in 2002. MRCW realized net underwriting gains in 2002, 2001, and 2000, and had favorable net income from operations in the years 1999 through 2002.

**Reconciliation of Surplus per Examination**

The examination did not make any reclassification of or adjustment to year-end balances reported by the company. The company's surplus as regards policyholders as of December 31, 2002 was \$447,676,579.

## **VII. SUMMARY OF EXAMINATION RESULTS**

### **Compliance with Prior Examination Report Recommendations**

There were two specific comments and recommendations in the previous examination report. Comments and recommendations contained in the previous examination report and actions taken by the company are as follows:

1. Management and Control — It is recommended that the company's board of directors review executive decisions made on behalf of the company by the parent corporation, and that the board exercise its responsibility to manage the company by taking action on those decisions, by resolution of the company's board of directors.

Action — Compliance

2. Custody of Invested Assets — It is recommended that the company's custodial agreements expressly provide for the fiduciary obligations of the custodian, to provide that the custodian shall be obligated to indemnify the company for any loss of property of the company that is held in the custodian's custody, for loss arising from the negligence or dishonesty of the custodian's officers or employees, or for loss due to burglary, holdup, theft, or mysterious disappearance, including loss by damage or destruction. It is further recommended that the custodial agreements provide that in the event of a loss of securities for which the custodian is obligated to indemnify the company, the securities or the value of the securities at the time of the loss occurrence shall be promptly replaced, and that the value of any loss of rights or privileges resulting from said loss shall be promptly replaced.

Action — Compliance

### **Summary of Current Examination Results**

The current examination did not result in any findings of material exception, and did not result in any recommendations requiring company action or compliance.

## **VIII. CONCLUSION**

MGIC Reinsurance Corporation of Wisconsin was incorporated under the laws of Wisconsin on February 15, 1996, and commenced operations on April 1, 1996. The company is a wholly owned subsidiary of MGIC. Upon the company's formation in 1996, its 1996 contributed capital included 100% of the common capital stock of MGIC Mortgage Insurance Corporation.

MRCW assumes from MGIC 100% of the liability for residential mortgage guaranty net losses in excess of 25% of the indebtedness to the insured. The company reinsures coverages for primary and pool mortgage loan insurance risks for policies written in all U.S jurisdictions except six states. All of the company's business is derived from assumption of mortgage guaranty insurance risks written on a direct basis by MGIC. The company does not cede any of its business.

The examination determined that the company is in compliance with the two recommendations that resulted from the previous examination of the company. The current examination did not result in any findings of material exception, and did not result in any reclassification of account balances or adjustment to surplus. As of December 31, 2002, the company reported net admitted assets of \$648,397,711, total liabilities of \$200,721,132, and total surplus as regards policyholders of \$447,676,579.

## **IX. SUMMARY OF COMMENTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS**

The current examination did not result in any findings of material exception, and did not result in any recommendations requiring company action or compliance.

## **X. ACKNOWLEDGMENT**

The courtesy and cooperation extended during the course of the examination by the officers and employees of the company are acknowledged.

In addition to the undersigned, the following representatives of the Office of the Commissioner of Insurance, State of Wisconsin, participated in the examination:

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